



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product name MIDFLOC 1800L, Inorganic Polymer

Other means of identification

Product code 117865

UN/ID No. 3264

Synonyms NONE

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use Flocculating agent.

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer Address

Rochester Midland Corporation
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Rochester, New York 14624 USA

Importer

Rochester Midland Limited
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Ajax, ON L1S 2H2
Canada

Emergency telephone number

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CANUTEC: 613-996-6666

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Corrosive to metals	Category 1

Label elements

Emergency Overview

DANGER

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed
Causes skin irritation
Causes serious eye damage
May be corrosive to metals

**Appearance** Dark reddish-brown solution.**Physical state** Liquid**Odor** Mild Odor**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
 Keep only in original container

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)
 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell
 Rinse mouth
 Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in corrosive resistant container

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

No information available

Other Information

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	CAS No.	%	TRADE SECRET
Ferric Sulfate	10028-22-5	60 - 80	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures**General advice**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Eye contact

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Skin contact

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Inhalation	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
Ingestion	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Product will not burn. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact NONE.

Sensitivity to Static Discharge NONE.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear. Cool exposed containers with water spray.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Wear adequate personal protective equipment, see Section 8, Exposure Controls/Personal Protection.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Keep out of drains, sewers, streams, or other bodies of water. See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Dike to contain. Pick up with absorbant material. Put in suitable container for disposal.

Methods for cleaning up Neutralize with lime, soda ash, or sodium bicarbonate. Pick up with absorbant material.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep locked up and out of reach of children. Empty containers may retain product residue, follow MSDS/label precautions even after container is emptied. Do not use aluminum, copper, or mild steel tanks, pumps or piping with this product.

Incompatible materials Metals. Carbon steel. Brass. Strong mineral acids. Bases. Alkalines.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Ferric Sulfate 10028-22-5	TWA: 1 mg/m ³ Fe TWA: 0.1 mg/m ³ Persulfate	(vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m ³ Fe	-

Appropriate engineering controls

ENGINEERING CONTROLS Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Goggles and face shield are recommended to minimize eye contact.

Skin and body protection Nitrile, neoprene, or other appropriate gloves are recommended to minimize hand skin contact. Appropriate protective clothing as needed to prevent skin contact. It is the responsibility of the end user of this product to determine level of PPE required that is consistent with safe use of this product.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid	Odor	Mild Odor
Appearance	Dark reddish-brown solution.	Odor threshold	No information available
Color	Red Brown		
Property	Values	Remarks • Method	
pH	2.0	(1.5 - 2.5 in 1% solution)	
Melting point/freezing point	No information available		
Boiling point / boiling range	105 °C / 220 °F		
Flash point	-	None to boiling.	
Evaporation rate	No information available		
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available		
Flammability Limit in Air			
Upper flammability limit:	No information available		
Lower flammability limit:	No information available		
Vapor pressure	No information available		
Vapor density	No information available		
Specific gravity	1.55		
Water solubility	No information available		
Solubility in other solvents	No information available		
Partition coefficient	No information available		

Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Dynamic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

Other Information

Softening point	No information available
VOC (EPA METH.24) (G/L):	0
Density	12.37 lbs/gal
Bulk density	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**REACTIVITY**

No data available

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

Incompatible materials

Metals. Carbon steel. Brass. Strong mineral acids. Bases. Alkalines.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

When heated to high temperatures, the following may be produced: Oxides of Sulfur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on likely routes of exposure**

Product Information	Harmful if swallowed Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
Inhalation	Causes burns.
Eye contact	Corrosive to the eyes and may cause severe damage including blindness.
Skin contact	Causes burns.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Ferric Sulfate 10028-22-5	= 500 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms	No information available.
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Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization	No information available.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	No information available.

Reproductive Toxicity	No information available.
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Aspiration hazard	No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

ATEmix (oral) 1250 mg/kg

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity****Persistence and degradability**

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

No information available.

Other adverse effects

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods**

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION**

UN/ID No.	3264
Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (FERRIC SULFATE)
Hazard Class	8
Packing Group	III
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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Complies
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances
ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

US Federal Regulations**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD	YES
CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD	No
FIRE HAZARD	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
REACTIVE HAZARD	YES

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	Hazardous Substances RQs (in LBS)	U.S. - CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances TPQs
Ferric Sulfate 10028-22-5	1000	

US State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

PRODUCT COMPOSITION	NJRTK:	MARTK:	PARTK:
Ferric Sulfate 10028-22-5		Listed	Listed

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Instability 0

Physical and Chemical Properties ACID

HMIS

Health hazards 3

Flammability 0

Physical hazards 0

Personal protection D

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Revision Note

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